COURSE DETAIL

POLITICS OF ADVANCED DEMOCRACIES

Country
Italy

Host Institution
University of Commerce Luigi Bocconi

Program(s)
Bocconi University

UCEAP Course Level
Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)
Political Science

UCEAP Course Number
163

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title
POLITICS OF ADVANCED DEMOCRACIES

UCEAP Transcript Title
POLTICS ADV DEMCRCY

UCEAP Quarter Units
6.00

UCEAP Semester Units
4.00

Course Description

This course introduces the analysis of political processes in well-established democracies. It focuses particularly on the topics of mass political behavior in contemporary democracies (such as voting participation, protest, and vote choice) and the impact of electoral, legislative, and executive institutions on policy outcomes. One of the central goals in the course is to evaluate whether the quality of political representation in contemporary democracies is as high as it could/should be and to come up with ways to improve it. Students are expected to become familiar with important theoretical arguments in the study of mass behavior, political institutions, and representation in advanced democracies; to be able to assess whether these arguments are supported by systematic empirical evidence; and to apply knowledge learned in the course to understand current political events and trends in democratic nations across the world.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
30483

Host Institution Course Title
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Host Institution Course Details
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Host Institution Campus
Bocconi University

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Policy Analysis and Public Management

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